

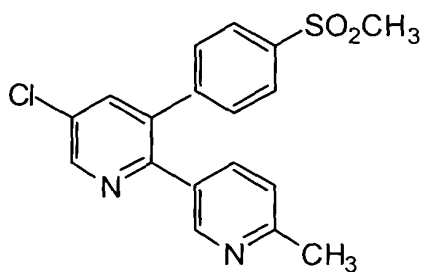
TITLE

POLYMORPHIC, AMORPHOUS AND HYDRATED FORMS OF
5-CHLORO-3-(4-METHANESULFONYLPHENYL)-6'-METHYL-
[2,3']BIPYRIDINYL

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ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Polymorphic, amorphous and hydrated forms of the title compound having the following structure:



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are disclosed. The compound is a potent and selective cyclooxygenase -2 (COX-2) inhibitor.